



1.6 International Students – Driving Policy

Approved by: Board of Trustees

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Group: Leadership Team

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Reviewed by: Asst P & International Director

RATIONALE

Nelson College does not allow international students to purchase, own or drive a motor vehicle while studying in New Zealand due to consideration of health & safety and the complexities of financial and legal matters surrounding owning and driving a car whilst studying as an International student.

There is a mutual understanding that all partners want what is in the best interests of the child.

Policy and procedures must exist to ensure that such situations are dealt with in a manner which is fair to both the student concerned and the College.

PURPOSES

1. To ensure that legislative requirements are met.
2. To protect the interests of the student and the College.
3. To ensure that students remain emotional and physically safe during their time enrolled in the care of Nelson College.

GUIDELINES

- If an International student is found to be driving or owning a car during their time in the care of Nelson College, then they will be subject to potential disciplinary sanctions including expulsion from Nelson College.
- Parents enrolling their son with Nelson College agree to abide by this policy and the potential disciplinary sanctions, loss of fees and removal from Nelson College that a transgression of this policy by their son might precipitate.
- Any exception made to this policy is at the discretion of the Headmaster. It requires a written application from the parents prior to enrolment at Nelson College or by October 1st of the academic year preceding a request to have the policy waived.

Ratified Nelson College BOT June 2018

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